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2. DEPT UNAWARE IF ADVERTISEMENT APPEARED IN OTHER U.S.

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PUBLICATIONS. IT DID NOT RPT NOT APPEAR IN NEW YORK

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3. IN VIEW OF GOC WILLINGNESS TO RESUME ICRC ACCESS TO
DETAINEES, WE WOULD HOPE ICRC WILL DEAL WITH THIS MATTER
DIRECTLY WITH CHILEAN AUTHORITIES RATHER THAN AIRING IT IN
PRESS AND INVITING FURTHER STRAIN ON THEIR RELATIONS.
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